

ORDER
STAGE 1 FIRE RESTRICTIONS
APACHE-SITGREAVES NATIONAL FORESTS

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 551 and 36 CFR § 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on all National Forest System Lands (NFSL) located within the proclaimed boundaries of the Apache and Sitgreaves National Forests, Coconino, Navajo, Apache, and Greenlee Counties, within the State of Arizona ("the restricted area"). The restricted area is depicted on the attached map, hereby incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A.

PROHIBITIONS:

1. Building, maintaining, attending or using a fire, campfire, charcoal, coal, or wood stove. 36 CFR § 261.52(a).
2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle or building, a developed recreation site, or while stopped in an area at least three feet in diameter that is barren or cleared of all flammable material; 36 CFR § 261.52(d).

EXEMPTIONS:

Pursuant to 36 CFR § 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

1. Persons with a Forest Service permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission;
2. Any Federal, State or local officer or member of an organized rescue firefighting force in the performance of an official duty;
3. Persons using fire grills and grates provided by Forest Service in developed recreation sites, as listed in Exhibit B;
4. Residents and employees associated with certain administrative and permitted sites (Camps, summer homes, lodges, etc.) as listed in Exhibit B, provided such fires are contained within a residence; and
5. Persons using a device solely fueled by liquid petroleum or LPG fuels that can be turned on and off; such devices can only be used in an area that is barren or cleared of all overhead and surrounding flammable materials within three (3) feet of the device.

AREA DESCRIBED:

All National Forest System Lands (NFSL) located within the proclaimed boundaries of the Apache and Sitgreaves National Forests, which occur within the State of Arizona (Exhibit A).

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PURPOSE:

To reduce fire risk, prevent human caused wildfires, protect property, and protect public health and safety during periods of high or extreme fire danger.

IMPLEMENTATION:

1. This Order will go into effect promptly at 12:01 am on Friday May 18th, 2012 and will remain in full force and effect, unless otherwise rescinded, until 12:01 am on July 31, 2012.
2. Any violation of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for individuals, and \$10,000.00 for organizations, and/or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months. [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3885, Title 18 USC 3571, Title 18 USC 3581].

Done at Springerville, Arizona this 16th day of May, 2012

/s/ Jim Zornes

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Apache-Sitgreaves National Forests

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**EXHIBIT B – DEVELOPED RECREATION, ADMINISTRATIVE & PERMITTED SITES
EXEMPT FROM PROHIBITIONS NO. 1**

Black Mesa Ranger District

(Exemption #3)

Spillway Group Campground
Spillway Campground
Aspen Campground
Wood Canyon Campground
Mogollon Campground
Crook Campground
Rim Campground
Sink Hole Campground
Canyon Point Campground
Black Canyon Rim Campground

(Exemption #4)

Chevron Administrative Site
Camp Shadow Pines

Lakeside Ranger District

(Exemption #3)

Fool Hollow Lake Campground
Lakeside Campground
Lewis Canyon Group Campground
Los Burros Campground

(Exemption #4)

Pinedale Administrative Site
Lakeside Administrative Site

Springerville Ranger District

(Exemption #3)

Rainbow Campground
Cutthroat Campground
Brook Char Campground
Grayling Campground
Apache Trout Campground
Winn Group Campground
Winn Campground
Rolfe C. Hoyer Campground
Benny Creek Campground

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(Exemption #4 cont.)

Greer Cabin and Administrative Site
Big Lake Administrative Site
Water Canyon Administrative Site
Little Colorado Summer Homes
Montlure Camp

Alpine Ranger District
(Exemption #3)

Buffalo Crossing Campground
Horse Springs Campground
Aspen Campground
Diamond Rock Campground
Alpine Divide Campground
Luna Lake Campground
Luna Lake Group Campground
Hannagan Campground
KP Cienega Campground
Deer Creek Campground
Raccoon Campground

(Exemption #4)

Alpine Administrative Sites
Hannagan Lodge

Clifton Ranger District
(Exemption #3)

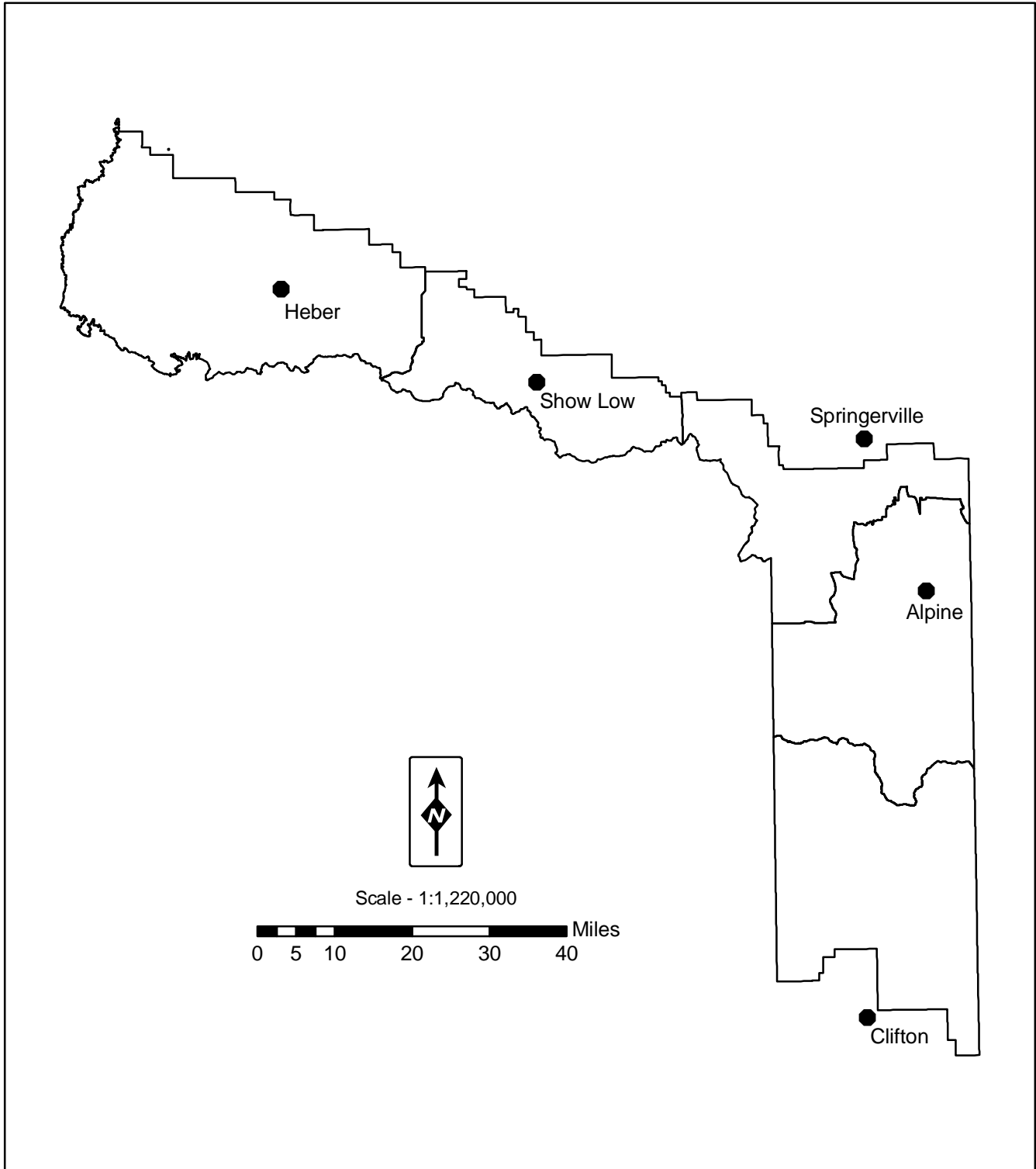
Strayhorse Campground
Honeymoon Campground
Lower Juan Miller Campground
Granville Campground
Black Jack Campground
Coal Creek Campground

(Exemption #4)

Granville Summer Homes
Strayhorse Administrative Site
Trail Cabin Administrative Site
Arizona Dept. of Transportation Maintenance Yard
(located at Mile Marker 186 of US 191)

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Order Number: 01-12-534
Exhibit: A



May 16th, 2012